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In re Application of

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PHILLIPS et al.

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For: BUNDLES OF FIBERS USEFUL FOR MOVING LIQUIDS AT HIGH FLUXES AND ACQUISITION/DISTRIBUTION STRUCTURES THAT USE THE BUNDLES

Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR SECTION 1.136(a)
FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a), Applicants hereby respectfully petition that the time to respond to the Office Action, dated July 18, 2003, in the above-referenced application, be extended one month to November 18, 2003. Applicants hereby submit the Extension fees of \$110.00 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1).

Any overpayments or additional fees which may be required may be credited/charged to the Applicants' Deposit Account No. 18-1215.

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